

Questions about the interpretation of the final exempt rule should be addressed to the agency proposing them. Refer to Item #5 to contact the person charged with the rulemaking.

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13. Incorporations by reference and their location in the rules:

N/A

14. Was this rule previously made as an emergency rule? If so, please indicate the Register citation:

N/A

15. The full text of the rule follows:

**TITLE 7. EDUCATION
CHAPTER 2. STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

ARTICLE 6. CERTIFICATION

Section

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- A.** No change
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- F.** School Social Worker Certificate - grades PreK-12
 - 1. The School Social Worker certificate is optional but may be required by local governing boards.
 - 2. The certificate is valid for eight years.
 - 3. The requirements are:
 - a. Master's or more advanced degree in Social Work from an accredited institution or completion of a Board approved school social worker program;
 - b. A valid fingerprint clearance issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety; and



- c. One of the following:
 - i. Completion of at least 6 semester hours of practicum in Social Work in a school setting completed through an accredited institution; or
 - ii. One year of full time experience as a Social Worker in a setting which primarily serves children in preschool through grade 12.
- 4. A valid, comparable School Social Worker certificate from another state may be substituted for the requirements of R7-2-617(F)(3) provided that the holder is in good standing with that state.